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CERVERA'S GREAT STRATEGY.

It seems to be reasonably certain that
the remarkable strategy of Admiral
Cervera, which aroused so much en-
thusiasm in Madrid, consisted of walk-
ing into a neat little trap and allow-
ing himself to be corked up in a posi-
tion from which he will find it impos-
sible to extricate himself. If this may
be taken as a fair sample of the strate-
gic ability of the commander of the
great and mighty Cape Verde fleet,
it is quite evident that America has
nothing to fear from that source.

Two courses are now open to the
United States. The move safe and it
would seem the wiser plan would be
to keep the Spaniards bottled up in
Santiago harbor and starve them out.
The bolder and more dangerous plan
would be to enter the harbor as
Dewey did at Manila and either de-
stroy or capture the ships in Cervera's
squadron.

In the event that the latter course
is decided upon it must be borne in
mind that the conditions will be dif-
ferent. The American ships would be
forced to go through a narrow and
tortuous channel in single file and would
be subject to the fire of guns almost
as effective as their own. In fact, it
would be a contest between the modern
gladiators of the sea in which
American ingenuity and seamanship
would have abundant opportunity to
display themselves. There could be
little doubt of the final result of even
such an unequal contest, but it would
be a life and death struggle and the
Americans would have to pay dearly
for their victory.

It has been conclusively shown that
the Spaniards have plenty of bravery
and will fight even when the odds are
against them. Therefore, it goes with-
out saying that if the heavy battleships
of the squadrons under Sampson and
Schley endeavor to "beard the lion in
his den" they will have a chance to
show what they are made of.

Senior Sagasta says that the Ameri-
cans will find the forts and warships
at Santiago de Cuba different from
the ones destroyed by Dewey at Ma-
nila. Perhaps; but so long as the
marksmanship doesn't improve there
will be no great amount of danger.
It might not be out of place to also
remind the Spanish Premier that we
have some of our "best" down in that
direction, too.

There is nothing surprising in the
announcement that Brigham Young's
son has fallen in London for a large
sum. If the marital habits of the old
gentleman may be taken as a criterion,
the family is not disposed to go into
things in a small way.

Spain now has a revolt on its hands
in the Caroline Islands. It looks as if
those old Spanish sailors were laying
in a large supply of trouble for their
country when they went around dis-
covering islands.

The spontaneous tribute of respect
paid to the remains of the "Grand Old
Man" as they lay in state in West-
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